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9) (AMENDED) A system according to claim 2 wherein the surfactant is present in any amount between 1 to 60% by weight based on the weight of the system.

10) (AMENDED) A system according to claim 2 wherein water is present in an amount greater than 20 % by weight based on the weight of the system.

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12) (AMENDED) A system according to claim 2 wherein said carbohydrate is selected from the group consisting of: mono saccharides sugars, disaccharide sugars, gluconic acid, mannic acid, ascorbic acid, sorbitol, mannitol or inositol.

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13) (AMENDED) An aqueous suspension comprising a system according to claim 2 and further comprising particles of solid, liquid or gas stably suspended therein.

15) (AMENDED) A suspension according to claim 13 wherein said particles comprise an abrasive.

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16) (AMENDED) A suspension according to claim 13 wherein said particles comprise a pesticide.

17) (AMENDED) A suspension according to claim 13 wherein said particles comprise an oil.

18) (AMENDED) A suspension according to claim 13 wherein said particles comprise a pigment.

Claims 1, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, and 18 have been amended herein.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned: **"Version with markings to show changes made"**.

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